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TORONTO TIDINGS

Miss Sylvia Foster, of Dunnville, came down for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. John Buchan on March 3d, returning the following Monday. Her many schoolmates and friends were delighted to meet her again, for she has a pleasing smile. She was accompanied by her young niece, Miss Rhea Foster, another smiling chip from the Foster family. The latter left on March 5th, for a visit to her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lisgar Ball, at Baltimore, Ont.

When the reporter called to enquire how Mr. Charles Pollard was progressing, at his home on Dagmar Avenue, on March 4th, he found the patient making good progress towards his normal self again. He is still very weak and needs a quiet rest, but is well looked after by his devoted wife.

"O, Taste and See that the Lord is Good" was the theme of a spirited sermon given by Mr. J. R. Byrne at our church, on March 4th, declaring that no matter what it be, if done in His name you will partake of a greater favor than you could otherwise conceive. All earthly inheritances may seem alluring to you, but they are only empty vials, but the resources of our Lord are full of everlasting joy, love and good-will. Miss Evelyn Elliott rendered the solo "I know I will see Jesus some day."

We are glad to state that James Bolduc, third son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bolduc, is making great headway in this world of progress. A year or so ago, he decided to strike for other pastures, so went to Los Angeles, Cal., where he remained a while, then entered the real-estate business at St. Bernardino, in lower California, where he did well, but was induced to enter the service of the Santa Fe Railroad, so moved back again to Los Angeles and became Divisional Accountant of this line. He has a wife and two children.

While at the surprise party, given in honor of Mrs. Alex. B. McCaul on March 2d, Mr. Fred Hall bumped into an old schoolmate of his whom he had not met for over nineteen years. The lucky schoolmate was Mrs. Adams E. McHardy, and she was as equally surprised and pleased to meet Fred, and a lively chat over their old school days ensued. In the days of their youth they went together to the school for the deaf at Margate, England. Mrs. McHardy was then known as Miss Agnes P. Montague.

On March 4th, Mr. Samuel Pugsley was showered with congratulations as well as sympathy for it was his natal day, following on the heels of his wife's death.

Mrs. Thomas Rae, the hearing sister of Mrs. Lorne Colclough, Mrs. O. S. Eastman, Miss Lila Lawson and Ernest A. Lawson, entertained a few deaf friends to a pleasant social on March 2d, and among those were Miss Gladys Hardy, the Misses Edna and Gwyn Egginton, Mr. Lorne Crocker and others. All report a jolly time. Mrs. Rae, who is very expert in the signs and very popular with the deaf, is strongly of the opinion that pure oralism retards rather than advances the intellectual welfare of the deaf.

We were delighted to have Mr. and Mrs. Charles McLaren, of Long Branch, in our midst on Sunday March 4th. Though the former carries the weight of over fourscore years, he still maintains a lively pace.

After a visit to his mother in Ash and with friends in Dunnville, Mr. Glen Ball came into our midst for the week-end of March 3d, returning to his home in Baltimore, Ont., on March 5th. While here he attended the professional hockey game at Ravina Rink.

After working in Flint, Mich., for many months past, Mr. Lorne Colclough returned to his wife and family here on March 3d. Interviewed by the JOURNAL representative, Lorne said he would not likely go to that Michigan city again to work. His first act on arriving here was to go straight

to the General Hospital to see his youngest child for the first time. His family were glad to see him home again.

Miss Dorothy Graham, who finished her schooling at Belleville last June, came to our church with her mother for the first time on February 26th, and has been coming almost regularly since for the sole purpose of learning our ways of conversation. Her studies under pure oralism has benefited her very little and she is anxious to catch up through our way. It was a pitiful sight at first to see her standing alone, somewhat shy and forlorn, but since then we have come to her rescue.

Mrs. William W. Scott left on March 3d, for a fortnight's sojourn with her parents at Wellandport. Billie and his father whiled away the time in "pioneer style" in the meantime.

Ever since her marriage two years ago, Mrs. Robert M. King, of Frankford (nee Arlie Chestnut), has always been longing for her old home news, and when her mother, Mrs. Chestnut, beloved by the deaf here, heard that the JOURNAL would bring her the home news, promptly handed your reporter a year's subscription for her daughter, and the writer promptly sent it in to the Editor. From now on Arlie will receive her old home news and cheer every week. Such is a mother's love for her child, even though she has left the parental nest.

It was election night at the meeting of the Women's Association of our Church, on March 7th, and the following will guide the destinies of the associations affairs for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. W. R. Watt; Vice-President, Mrs. H. W. Roberts; Secretary, Mrs. Samuel Goodall, and Treasurer, Mrs. George Brethour. As usual, Mrs. J. R. Byrne was made Honorary President. The rest of the evening was taken up with making arrangements for the box social, that will be held under the auspices of this body on March 31st. The proceeds are to go towards defraying the expenses of serving meals to the coming Bible Conference delegates at Easter.

We regret to mention that Mrs. Henry White has found it necessary to go to the Western Hospital for treatment for diabetes, but we sincerely hope the treatment she is undergoing will benefit her to a great extent. In the meantime, her daughter, eighteen years old, is keeping house for her father and younger brother in her mother's absence.

Mr. H. W. Roberts continued his lecture on "From the Manger to the Cross," at our Epworth League, on March 8th, and gave a graphic account of the cruelty and jealousy of King Herod, the Edomite, and of the fear of the people when they beheld the all-illuminating star, which at first they thought presaged great calamity, but later found it to be the hope and redemption of mankind through the birth of our Redeemer. He also spoke on the foresight of God in sending Christ into this life as a ransom for our eternal liberty.

All should bear in mind that the evening of March 30th will be "Women's Evening" at the Bridgen Club, and all should turn out and see what they have in store to interest you.

Mr. Albert Lawrence motored over from near Buffalo, and spent a couple of weeks with his mother and brother, David, lately. No doubt, Dave was delighted to see him.

As a fitting tribute to Mr. W. G. Bell, prior to his departure for home, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mason gave a little farewell party in his honor on March 9th. To begin, the good hostesses had laid covers for near on a dozen when they partook of the well-cooked eats of "Grandma" Mason, noted for her cooking in old time style. After dinner several more dropped in to brighten the surroundings and give our friend from the West their "farewell regrets." A very sociable evening was spent, winning up with another hearty repast. Three weeks previous to this, Mr. Bell came to this city practically a stranger, but now he goes back imbued with the happy thought that in this "Queen City" he has made a legion of friends. He left Sunday night, March 11th, for his home in Moose Jaw, but may return for our convention in June.

The good humored crowd that foregathered in the Bridgen-Nasmith Hall, on March 3d, were well entertained by Mr. John Tyler Shilton, B.A., when he gave one of the best lectures we have seen him give in a long time. It was given under the auspices of the Bridgen Club and the subject was on that very mystifying story of Faust. For nearly two solid hours, Mr. Shilton unfolded in most graphic style that hair-raising story, which from a laconic point of view, seemed to usher in a life of ease and high ideals, but as the tale went on it gradually shifted to a veering latitude of regret and shame, and finally came to a warning to those who prefer to tread the path of conceit and pride. The speaker used good judgment in giving out this intricate story and was accorded a hearty vote of thanks at the close. The Misses Sylvia and Rhea Foster, of Dunnville, and Mr. W. G. Bell, of Moose Jaw, Sask., were among our outside visitors who enjoyed this treat.

GENERAL GLEANINGS

Mr. John Taylor, of Singhampton, was laid up recently with an attack of the gripple, but we are glad to say he is around again, and as busy as ever in his shop.

While visiting relatives in and around Belleville recently, Mr. W. G. Bell, of Moose Jaw, was shown around our old school by Miss Ada James, and in his rounds was surprised to run into his cousin, Mr. Percy Mott, the farm foreman at the school. A happy meeting was the result.

The JOURNAL is still drifting into more homes of the deaf, as with this batch of news go subscriptions for the following: Mrs. Robert Malcolm King, of Frankford; Mrs. James Sutherland, of Dundas; Miss Sylvia Foster, of Dunnville, and Mr. William Hallett, of Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Mrs. William Phillips, of Lisle, has been visiting relatives and friends in Everett for the past few weeks.

While down on a visit to her parents in Pembroke not long ago, Miss Mary McBride, of Bobcaygeon, took a side trip to Ottawa with the intention of calling on her old friend, Mrs. Thomas Grigam formerly Miss Marion Powell, of Toronto, but was disappointed to find the address given was not the home of the Brighams. However, Miss McBride had a great time sightseeing at the capital.

Where can our old friend, Mr. Thos. Shelp, be just now, if still on the surface of this sphere? Twenty-five years ago he made for Manitoba from Ottawa to seek a better fortune, and since then no trace has been found of him.

HERBERT W. ROBERTS.

FANWOOD ALUMNI

Notice is hereby given to the members of the Fanwood Alumni Association of the change of banquet, which originally was intended to take place in Cafe Boulevard, to Y. W. C. A., Lenox Avenue and 124th Street, on Saturday evening, April 14th at 7:30 o'clock. Those desiring to attend the banquet should mail money order of \$1.50 to Mrs. William Burke, Secretary of Banquet Committee, 3104 Kingsbridge Avenue, New York, not later than April 4th.

SOL GARSON,
Chairman.

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FOURTH ANNUAL BASKETBALL TOURNAMENT CENTRAL STATES SCHOOLS FOR THE DEAF

Reported by J. F. Meagher

	Won	Lost	Per ct.	Points Scored	Opponents
Indiana	5	0	1000	121	106
Illinois	4	1	800	125	54
Wisconsin	2	3	400	101	89
Kentucky	2	3	400	81	97
Ohio	2	3	400	97	103
Michigan	0	5	000	75	91

(Continued from last week)

The referee and umpire selected Frank Guzzardo, from Chicago, as the best player and best sportsman in the tournament—for which he received a handsome silver trophy. Guzzardo, aged 19, will captain the Illinois football team next fall, and expects to enter Gallaudet College in 1930.

The two officials then announced their first and second All-Star teams:

First team: Forwards—Guzzardo (Ill.) and James (Ind.) Center—Poska (Ind.) Guards—Shibley (Ill.) and Coole (Ind.)

Second team: Forwards—King (Ky.) and Redman (Ind.) Center—Walnoha (Ill.) Guards—Skedsmo (Ill.) and Byrd (Ky.)

Foltz had already picked his own private all-stars—Guzzardo, Redman, Poska, Shibley, and Rosenberger. The last, an Indiana guard, was the only variance from the official selections.

Not to be outdone, I select an all-star Consolation team:—Forwards—Hamilton (Ky.) and Baugh (Ill.) Center—Drapiewski (Ohio.) Guards—Davies (Wis.) and Rocco (Mich.) Rocco is a forward, but his playing was so good he really should be mentioned somewhere. He won the best sportsman prize a year ago.

Three or four of the players enter Gallaudet College next fall. The best entrant is Shibley, Illinois' all-star guard, who—at football—is certain to rival Moore and Masinkoff for the title of all-time Gallaudet quarterback. Center Harry Drapiewski, of Ohio, and Lloyd Schlegel, of Michigan, say they will matriculate, while forward Szwabewski, of Wisconsin, opines "maybe." The world is growing better.

Gallaudet has the best basketball team in its history this year; but I can't see how they can possibly bag Shibley for a regular berth. He was the brains of the Illinois outfit; when ever the Illini got the ball, they passed it to Shibley to hold, dribble and dance, until he could get set for one of his long, gun-shot caroms to some man in a scoring position.

TOURNAMENT TID-BITS

Jacksonville and Springfield newspapers gave columns to the tournament. Ernest Savage, a Jacksonville sports editor, also covered the affair for the Associated Press; while I served the A. P. rival—the Hearst-owned Universal Services. Near deadline I passed my dispatches to Louie Masinkoff—the great Gallaudet quarter of three years back—who would then auto break-neck to the Western Union office downtown and be back in eleven minutes, thereby nullifying whatever advantages Savage had by being able to use the phone.

"Salvos of silence," I started one story. Savage saw it and grinned sardonically: "You wouldn't talk of 'silence' if you could hear the noise," he scribbled. Padden's twin sisters had passed around eighteen printed yells, or cheers, which several hundred Illini were oraling in unison. The Indiana school also had quite a bunch of rosters, including a masquerade, bedecked cheer-leader with "Yea Team" in big letters on his back—just like the real collegiate article.

During intermissions Fancher's big base drum boomed in marching time: one-two, one-two; Boom-Boom-Boom-bam-bam! over and over and over, while the pupils kept time with clap of hands and stamp of feet. It was irresistibly contagious.

The official scorer was Ed Foltz, coach of Kansas—who came on a fruitless mission to secure entrance of Kansas in the "central states" combine.

Foltz sat at the same table with us two newspapermen, and kept up a running fire of comment on his teams during intermissions. He particularly stressed the football game November 12th, when his Kansas deaf defeated St. Paul's College 128 to 0! "We made 994 yards from scrimmage, not counting three touchdowns from kick-

off," he always wound up. He also dwelt at length on his pet fullback—a two-legged locomotive named Ringel, or Ringer (is he?) who started playing football at the tender age of 15, and is still at it, at 21 or 22.

The hearing timer, sitting right back of us, stopped every quarter with the bark of his 32-caliber revolver. The hot wad once came down on the nearly-bald pate of Kentucky Martin. He did not look at all pleased!

That gun eventually got on my nerves. Too reminiscent of the Chicago bootleg gangs.

"Folly" was not happy either. More than half the games—eight out of fifteen, to be exact—were won by four points or less. And he had to keep accurate track of every marker, foul, substitution, etc. He must have the constitution of an ox.

He told me I was all wet in stating Indiana started the first interscholastic deaf tournament. "The Nebraska school was first, having one in 1924—the year before Indianapolis staged theirs," he affirmed on his funny, fat fingers. But it seems that corn-belt tournament "busted up."

The coaches constituted themselves a ways-and-means committee to consider my suggestion of a national championship meet, as outlined in the *Silent Worker*. Hot air wasted, lots. Results, nil. Unless some philanthropic, high-minded citizen will come forward with a donation of \$1000, the national title will remain in dispute.

The morning of the second day Illinois asked scorer Foltz to halt play and send in a substitute. "Folly" obliged by picking up his tiny tin whistle and tooting a toot. Neither the referee nor the umpire gave him a tumble. He puffed out his chest and emitted a regular Kansas zephyr. No result. Taking in all the cubic-capacity of his well-fed lungs, "Folly" thereon essayed a futile blast which should have been heard, clear across the continent. Play went serenely on. Red of face and blazing of eye, Foltz thereat gaved to some picturesque vocal phrases the purport being what the double dashed asterisk Clarno and Beach meant by snubbing a fellow official in the legitimate discharge of his official duties—in full accord with the statutes in such cases made and provided.

The officials looked surprised. And grieved. Halting play, they asserted they had not heard a sound. Which only made Foltz madder. Until investigation of the tin whistle revealed some undiscovered miscreant had skillfully plugged it up with a wad of damp paper, so it could not emit a whimper. And everybody had a good laugh.

An interesting study of the relative strength of the contestants—number of players on deck, number of "rooters," which includes superintendents etc.:

School	Pupils	Players	Rooters
Indiana	406	10	50
Kentucky	350	8	1
Michigan	355	8	1
Ohio	505	10	5
Wisconsin	190	10	3
Illinois	425	21	??

Indiana brought along two busloads and several private cars—probably some fifty souls, including Supt. O. M. Pittinger, wife and daughter; Editor Travis of the *Hoosier*; several pretty teachers, and a whole raft of loyal pupil-rooters decked out in school colors. (Travis must be a good editor—he is almost as homely as I am.) Arthur H. Norris managed the champions, and his hearing son—Arthur G.—served as coach.

Charles Marshall coached the Michigan lads, bringing with him H. Newcomb, the head boys' supervisor; and E. H. Mason, Boy Scout executive of Michigan—a leading light in the State, not connected with the school. By the way, I observed several big politicians in the crowd, and some university leaders from various points. The tournament was a splendid means for advertising us deaf to influential parties.

Despite the fact his team won no games, Marshall is a good coach. His picturesque phraseology between halves equals Dobie's, Zuppke's and Roper's.

Albert W. Ohlemacher, manager and Birney Wright, coach, accompanied the Ohio team. Mrs. Molohon asked if Wright was Lindbergh. The

resemblance is striking. That youngster, who graduated from Gallaudet last June, received his first athletic lessons from me when he was nine years old—out in Vancouver. And now he actually thinks he knows more than his old teachers, for Saturday he told me: "Don't dispute me; I am always Wright." Superintendent J. M. Jones, also accompanied his team, and his oratory at the Coaches' Conference won the 1929 tournament for Columbus, February 21-24, 1929.

Little Wisconsin was led by Frederick J. Neesman, he Grand First-Vice-president of the National Fraternal Society of the Deaf. Two hearing teachers—Iohn Moore and Charles Durm—drove the cars for the team.

Superintendent Dan Cloud, of Kansas, was the fourth head of State schools on deck. Dan is the image of his father—the late Rev. Dr. James Henry Cloud, who goes down to fame as one of the six great fighting men in the history, American Deafdom.

The Coaches' Conference voted that hereafter no lad reaching his twenty-first birthday can play in the tournaments. The application of Kansas for admittance to the tourneys was tabled, on Neesman's figure that adding one or two more teams would necessitate each team playing seven games instead of five, and five games in three days is already a severe strain on the youngsters.

Financially, the tourney was a flop. About \$800 was grossed. Two hearing officials were contracted for at \$85 each—as required by the rules of the Illinois High School Athletic Association. Frank Beach (University of Illinois) and Lyle Clarno (Bradley College) alternated as umpire and referee in all fifteen games, and gave 100% satisfaction. Not a single decision was disputed. They had never met any of the deaf, nor anyone connected with the schools, so were absolutely unbiased.

While not too strict on trifles, they had the situation under control at all times, and never allowed to forget it. Fair and square to a fault. Had I been an official in that closing game when Illinois butchered battered little Kentucky, 34 to 5, I would have mercifully looked the other way when Miller bumped into and knocked down Illini, who came up from behind on the side of his blind eye. Clarno and Beach inspired complete confidence. When a man knows he will get a square deal according to the rules, he can take defeat with better grace. It is probable all future tournaments will follow this plan of importing competent strangers from other cities to officiate.

Savage had this in one of the dailies:

"About the dirtiest dig we have heard in recent months drifted into our eyes yesterday when Jimmy Meagher, deaf newspaperman covering the Central States tourney, declared that the reason Brown, Ohio guard, split his shoe during the game with Illinois was because he was kicking about decisions. However, Meagher expressed his wise-crack to the officials, and they accepted the explanation in the same way it was given—jestingly."

Coach Robey Burns, in charge of the tournament, displayed surprising managerial ability. Everything went off with the smoothness of clockwork. Burns had hoped to get out a small morning daily during the tournament—some picked non-players and coaches working far into the night in the school printing office. But head-printer, I. S. Dunn, had been absent for two weeks—his wife finally died the day the tourney opened. That put double duty on Burns at the most critical period of his career. He stood it like a true Scotchman, disposing of every problem that came up, as though such matters were everyday occurrences.

The abandoned old gym fifty yards from the new gym, was converted into one vast barracks, with army cots crowding every angle. There, warm and comfortable, the forty-six visiting players and dozen coaches bunked at no expense to themselves.

I asked several players whom they fancied for all-star coach. Almost invariably they named Burns of Illinois. "He impressed me, oh, much," explained one kid from another State. "How?" "Oh, businessman, sportsmanship, kind, good character." Evidently Burns is to deaf athletics what

Alonso Stagg is in the world of hearing.

Talking about 100% Americans, how is this for contrast? Kentucky's line-up: King, Hamilton, Baxter, Byrd, Smith, Howard and Miller. Wisconsin: Szwabewski, Kuglitch, Weser, Davies, Kienzer, Kirar, Rosenfield and Jascar.

A long cavalcade of cars and buses left the Jacksonville grounds promptly at 7:15 Sunday morning, going to Springfield to visit both Lincoln's home and Lincoln's tomb—where Frederick Fawcner took photos, which will appear in the *Silent Worker*. A very long cavalcade. Well up in the proud parade was the big bus from Indianapolis, on whose mud-encrusted side some erudite wag had traced the letters: "Veni, Vidi, Vici!"

And close behind, in their antiquated open chariot—prey of the biting winter winds—rode beaten and battered Kentucky. Conquered, but still unconquerable!

J. FREDERICK MEAGHER.

The Capital City.

An invitation to the Goodyear Zeppelin Corporation, airship manufacturers of Akron, Ohio, who plan to expand their business, to locate their new plant in Washington was extended last week by the business men of Washington. It was pointed out that the plant, if it was to be located in the National Capital, would be of the light manufacturing type for assembling airship materials and would not detract in any way from the beauty of the city, but would ultimately provide for employment of about two thousand persons.

Our genial friend, Mr. Francis P. Gibson, of Chicago, will be in this city on business. He will be the guest of the Division No. 46, N. F. S. D.

MISS MARIAN GALLAUDET TO BE BRIDE IN ITALY
"Mr. and Mrs. Edson F. Gallaudet, of Providence, R. I., today announced the engagement of their daughter, Marian, to Walter Averill Powers, of Oakfield, Me.

Miss Gallaudet is a grand-daughter of the late Dr. Edward Gallaudet, founder and first president of Gallaudet College, at Washington, D. C., and of Francis M. Cockrell, former United States senator from Missouri. Her fiancé is a son of the late Llewellyn Powers, governor of Maine. He was a captain of the United States Marines in the World War.

The wedding will take place this month at the Palazzo Barberini, home of the bride-to-be's aunt, the Marchesa Casati. The marchesa is Mrs. Gallaudet's sister."—Washington Post, March 12.

The only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger O. Scott has grown up wonderfully. She makes her daddy and mamma happier every day.

The aged mother of Miss Jennie Jones is improving in health and hopes to be able to be out with us the coming spring.

The National Literary Society of Washington will hold its meeting with President Wallace Edgington, on the evening of April 18th. Come every one and have a good time—every laugh adds an hour to your life. It peps up the system—try it.

"Jesus Feeds the Multitude," was the study subject at the Bible Class, March 11th. It was under the leadership of Merton Galloway. Many members attended. Among them were two seniors from Gallaudet College, Miss Estella C. Howell and H. T. Hofsteater. By request, Mrs. Colby rendered "Nearer, My God, to Thee." Mr. Fletcher of Philadelphia surprised the class with his presence. Upon request Mr. Fletcher told of the "Five Loaves and Two Fishes," which was very instructive. Mr. Fletcher looked fine. He returned to Philadelphia that evening. We old people need not give up studying. We are even better prepared to profit by reading and education than we were in our earlier youth. Age is not what counts. It is the interest in things and the desire to learn. Mrs. A. F. Adams will take charge of the Bible Class, March 25th. Everybody is cordially invited.

The Washington Division, No. 46, N. F. S. D., will hold its business meeting at the Masonic Temple, Wednesday evening, April 4th.

A Pleasure Social of the Calvary Baptist Mission will be given on the evening of April 25th.

MRS. C. C. COLBY

515 Ingraham, N. W.

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"He's true to God who's true to man;
Whenever wrong is done
To the humblest and the weakest
'Neath the all-beholding sun,
That wrong is also done to us,
And they are slaves most base,
Whose love of right is for themselves,
And not for all the race."

When great men pass from this world, it is not only customary, but confidently expected, that the newspapers shall tell an admiring public of their extraordinary accomplishments. So their almost incredible successes are explained to a wondering people. Their lives that had been lived upon the heights, far above the madding crowd, are instanced as examples that are likely to beget and stimulate ambition. Quoting the poet Cantor—

"He walked in glory on the hills,
We daisies envied from afar;
The heights and rose-lit pinnacles
Which placed him nigh the evening star.

"Upon the peaks they found him dead;
And now we wonder if he sighed
For our low grass beneath his head,
For our rude huts, before he died."

Very seldom is mediocrity enlogized. It is only from the pulpit that we learn of the excellences of ordinary men, and last week Rev. John Kent made a brief but touching address, to the large assemblage of deaf people at St. Ann's Church, at the funeral services over their friend and brother, Allen Hitchcock.

Mr. Hitchcock was a designer of shoes for ladies and had for many years been foreman of his department at a large factory in Brooklyn. But with innate modesty he refrained from exploiting himself, and only a small proportion of the deaf were aware of his artistic skill along this special line.

It will not be amiss to add that Allen Hitchcock had a very engaging personality. He was a genial friend of most of the deaf-mutes that reside within the confines of Greater New York, whom he met in a social way. They all seemed to like him—and he liked them all. He was a prominent member of the Brooklyn Frats, and served No. 23 as a treasurer for a good many years. His sterling ability was recognized by all and his integrity was beyond question.

He belonged to other organizations also, being a valued member of the Brooklyn Guild; a vice-president of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League; a member of the Society of Deaf Artists; and of the National Association of the Deaf.

In all these affiliations he was a faithful and dependable member. His work was performed with a serious cheerfulness that suggested pleasure in tasks assigned him.

Whenever he mingled in throngs composed of the deaf, he had a hearty handshake and a pleasant greeting for those with whom he had become acquainted. His manner was entirely free from the faintest suggestion of either fancied or real superiority. Many of the deaf will recall the good-will that radiated from his genial personality, and it is only stating the truth to say that hundreds of deaf-mutes residing in New York and vicinity, as well as the many friends in Ohio, where he was born and received his school education, will be saddened by the passing of Allen Hitchcock.

FANWOOD

An interesting exhibition of gymnasium training was given in the girls' study room on Thursday evening, March 15th, by the girls of the various gym classes before an assemblage of all the pupils, the teachers and officers of the Institution. The following was the program:—

1. Grand March. Music by the Band
2. Monday Class. (3 o'clock)
 - (1) Simple Tactics
 - (2) Bird Game
 - (3) Cart Wheels
3. Tuesday Class. (1:15 o'clock)
 - (1) Circle Game
 - (2) Pass Ball Relay
4. Tuesday Class. (2:45 o'clock)
 - (1) Wand Exercise
 - (2) Indian War Dance
 - (3) Human Buck
 - (4) Wheel Barrow Race
5. Wednesday Class. (1 o'clock)
 - (1) A Division—Dumb-bell exercise
 - (2) B Division—Mat work
 - (3) Dance—"Brighton Camp"
 - (4) Potato Race
6. Wednesday Class. (2 o'clock)
 - (1) Low Parallel Bars
 - (2) Dance—"New Castle"
 - (3) "Skin the Snake"
7. Thursday Class. (9 o'clock)
 - (1) Setting-Up Exercises
 - (2) Rope Jumping
 - (3) Dry Land Swimming
8. Thursday Class. (10:30 o'clock)
 - (1) Indian Club Drill
 - (2) Folk Dance—"Irish Lilt"
 - (3) Rider-Ball
9. Mimetics. Tuesday 2:45 Class and Thursday 10:30 Class
 - (1) Burst the Bag
 - (2) Picking Apples
 - (3) Indian Dance
 - (4) Chinese Prayers
 - (5) Bicycle Riding
 - (6) Human Flower

Competitive First Year Military Drill.

Judges—Colonel Gardner
Major Van Tassel
Captain Altenderfer.

Great credit is due to Mrs. Mayme H. Voorhees, their Physical Training Director, for the excellent way the events were performed. The alertness and precision displayed by the pupils bespeaks well of their training. One of the surprises of the evening was the military drill by two companies formed of the Tuesday and Thursday Advanced Classes, respectively. Borrowing the boys' guns they went through the manual of arms in such a snappy manner, as to equal the usual performance by the boys. Principal Gardner, in announcing the winners, complimented them all on their fine showing, and said the judges did not have an easy time in making a decision. The Thursday Class were victors by two thirds to Tuesday's one-third. Music by the band closed the instructive evening's entertainment, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all those present.

The printing office was enriched last week by the addition of new equipment and other small accessories. They include a Rouse lino-slug cutter, a No. 5 Boston wire stitcher and a punching machine, both operated by foot-power. There is also a 39x63 job lock-up cabinet, with steel imposing top. The cabinet has drawers with sorts boxes, numbered type slides and type drawers, compartments for registers and wood furniture, and racks for two sizes of job cases. The small accessories consist of all-brass newspaper and job galleys, composing sticks, planers and mallets, benzine cans and brushes. In the linotype department, a new magazine is added to the Model 5 machine, with a font of ten-point matrices, and also new liners and ejector blades, which will greatly increase the capacity of the machine.

On Wednesday afternoon, March 14th, 130 pupils attended a performance of the motion picture "Simba." This thrilling picture is the result of a camera hunt made by Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson, recently from Africa. "Simba" is the native term for lion. There were lengthy scenes of crocodiles, elephants, monkeys, giraffes, gnus, rhinoceri, lions, zebras and other animals. Particularly in one scene where the elephant herd charges the camera and the leader is shot dead by Mrs. Johnson before the attack, one's heart is made to beat faster. There is another thrilling adventure when a lion attacks the native spearmen and tears one man's arm, but before being subdued, charges at the camera where Mr. Johnson courageously grinds away. Again Mrs. Johnson, with the sure straight shot of her gun, comes to the rescue and kills the lion. At one time fourteen lions pass in review, unconscious of the camouflaged intruders. Never before have animals been pictured as they are here. There are lovely scenes of the veldt and the jungle without the touch of civilization. Everyone of us enjoyed the picture to the fullest.

Cadet Charles Terry received a postcard from his uncle, who made a trip to Havana from Florida and returned later. They went to Florida from New York by automobile two months ago and are staying there until next week, when they will return again in their Lincoln sedan. Charles is very anxious to see his favorite uncle again, and also the automobile.

Last week on Saturday, Cadet Musician Corporals E. Marshall and S. Forman, Cadets S. Cietta, Butler and C. Snowden attended the bike race at Madison Square Garden. They said the bike riders surely rode fast and that it was very exciting.

Impatiently waiting for the opening of the baseball season, Cadets Captain H. Carroll, Lieutenant O. Johnson and Musician Corporal D. Mahler were the first cadets to practice pitching outdoors during the past two weeks' warm weather. They were greatly disappointed when snow fell the other day.

OHIO.

Rev. W. S. Eagleson, who was at the head of the Ohio School before Dr. Jones took hold, is said to be the oldest living member of the Phi Gamma Delta fraternity, and will be an honored guest at the golden anniversary of this fraternity, March 31st, in Columbus. Rev. Eagleson is on the Board of Managers of the Ohio Home, and it was through him that the alumni purchased the old Presbyterian College building for the Home. Rev. Eagleson is in a very feeble condition and has been so for several years.

Mr. Herbert Volp, whom we reported as being in a Columbus hospital, has been removed to his home, where his sisters are looking after him. He will soon be able to resume his work.

The members of the Columbus Advance Society had their annual smoker and dinner, Saturday, March 10th, at the Y. M. C. A. They also transacted their regular monthly business, instead of meeting later in the month, showing that they believe in combining business with pleasure. All reported a most enjoyable evening.

Mr. A. B. Greener, who attended the Akron Advance meeting, March 2d, with his daughter, Mrs. R. Thomas, reports having had a grand time and took much pleasure in greeting many old friends. He also predicts a poor wheat crop, as he noted that in most of the wheat fields the plants all seemed dead.

At the Tri-State Print Crafts bowling tournament, February 17-20, at Indianapolis, Mr. P. D. Munger represented the Cleveland Plain Dealer team, and Mr. Myles the Columbus Dispatch, and Mr. J. B. Taylor was with the Dayton News team.

Mr. W. Stebelton, Dayton, who is about 60 years old, met with another accident February 28th. He was run down by a truck and it is feared he was internally injured, but reports now say he is in a fair condition in a Dayton hospital. Mr. Stebelton was just recovering from an accident that had kept him in a hospital for six months. Surely it seems as if he must have been born under an unlucky star.

Some years ago the writer had an orange tree in her school room, but tiring of the care of it, it was put into Mr. George Block's care. He has kept it in a room in the basement of the school, of which he is one of the janitors. His care of the tree is now rewarded with fragrant waxy flowers—and several of them. When he enters his room, he imagines himself in an orange grove.

The Columbus Citizen of March 9th, had a photograph of a class of deaf girls sporting in the pool at the school. The reporter said that all the bathing beauties were not down in Florida now.

Mrs. Ida Roberts, the better half of the Grand Secretary-Treasurer A. L. Roberts, has delighted her Columbus friends with a ten-days visit here. She leaves Wednesday for Chicago, where Bob has been patiently waiting her return. While Mrs. Roberts was Miss MacGregor's as guest she has been entertained at several homes. Saturday, March 10th, Miss MacGregor had a card party honoring Mrs. Roberts, after which the guests partook of a fine dinner.

Seated at the table were Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Winemiller, Mrs. Beckert, Mrs. Zorn, Mrs. Worthington, Misses Zell, Lamson, Toskey, Edgar and MacGregor. Friday evening, Miss Zell had the Columbus O. W. L. S. at her home in honor of Mrs. Roberts. Dr. and Mrs. Jones entertained Mrs. Roberts and Miss MacGregor at dinner Monday evening.

Others who had the pleasure of honoring Mrs. Roberts were Mrs. J. C. Winemiller, Mrs. George Clum, Mrs. Zorn, the Misses Edgar and Miss Lamson. Sunday she was taken to the Ohio Home by Mr. and Miss Zell. It was her first visit for many years, and she noted with pleasure the many improvements, especially the fine Wornstaff Hall for the men residents.

March 12, 1928.

FLORIDA MISSION FOR THE DEAF.

St. Cloud, Florida.

Bible class at 9:30 A.M., every Sabbath day. Preaching service at home or abroad (subject to call) at 2 P.M., on first Sunday of each month.

Baptist Missionary to the Deaf in the South

J. W. Michaels, Missionary, Mountainburg, Ark., and A. O. Wilson, Assistant Missionary, 1610 May Street, Fort Worth, Texas. Will answer all calls.

THE DELEPEE MEMORIAL

I have been intrigued to no slight degree by the articles that have appeared in your esteemed columns of late regarding the selection of a sculptor to execute the De l'Epee Memorial. The original discussion of the matter by Mr. Stevens seemed to me so cogent and so wholly reasonable, advocating as he did, an open competition, that I was content to rest the case there. But the recent effort of Mr. Tilden, writing under the pen-name of Zeno, to shush-shush and pooh-bah this honest proposal, put another face upon the affair. Moreover, the attempt of Mr. Tilden to belound and sidetrack the whole issue with literary references and philosophical outpourings that are wholly irrelevant to the discussion, calls for vigorous pronouncements from those, who like myself, believe that all the deaf sculptors should have a fair and equal opportunity to compete for the De l'Epee commission.

The plan for an open competition, advanced by Mr. Stevens, should meet with the hearty approval of all who have at heart the production of a worthy memorial to the good Abbe. Coming from Mr. Stevens, it carries the weight of a well-qualified critic, one who has given his life to Art, who has studied in Europe, and is thoroughly familiar with the works of master sculptors; ancient and modern. Mr. Stevens, moreover, probably possesses a more intimate knowledge of deaf sculptors and their works than anyone. If, from the wealth of his specialized knowledge in this field, Mr. Stevens advocates an open competition for the De l'Epee statue, then this plan should receive most serious consideration on the part of those charged with selecting the sculptor.

The assertion made by one of your correspondents, and deducible from Zeno's article, that no great work of sculpture has been brought out by competition, seems more than a trifle rash. It has an all-inclusive quality that arouses one's suspicion. It is one of those aimless statements that claim everything without getting down to brass tacks. Let us have the facts. The onus of the proof rests upon those making such wild assertions.

If my studies have not been perniciously misdirected, then I can say that competition has been the normal and regular procedure for selecting sculptors in the best and highest centuries of human culture. It was true in the days of the old Greeks. It was true in the best decades of the Romans. It was the thing throughout the Renaissance. It is the regular procedure among the leading artistic nations today. The only exceptions I have been able to find have been either when the world possessed a Titan of the sculptor's art, and with whom competition would have been absurd—a man of the stature of Michael Angelo, Rodin or St. Gaudens; or when the machinations of politicians triumphed over artistic gifts.

I have made a study extending over many years of the public sculptures of the City of Washington, and this city, both in the number and general quality of its sculptures, is unrivaled on this side of the water. To my certain knowledge, during the past twenty-five years, no monument or memorial in our Capitol has been executed by a sculptor who did not win the commission in open competition, save in one or two instances where politics or the pre-eminence of the sculptor turned the scales.

Among the recent sculptures in Washington resulting from competition are the Grant and Meade memorials, and the statues to Ericsson, John Paul Jones, Hamilton and LaFayette. Many others come to mind, but my space and time is limited. I will mention one thing more: The design for the most impressive monument in America, the Lincoln Memorial, was won in public competition by Henry Bacon, and Daniel Chester French was chosen to execute the statue of Lincoln therein, only because he was so eminent in his art that no one in the world could be found to compete with him.

Today, it is the usual procedure to award important commissions for public monuments by competition, and this is true both in this country and abroad. Nearly every country has an Art Commission, which select architects and sculptors by competitive methods. This is true of the Fine Arts Commission of the American Government, and of similar commissions in our states and large cities.

As for the claim that the sculptor for the De l'Epee memorial should be an American, I want to say that I am heartily tired of this flag-waving and hundred-per-cent-American business. The war is over. I yield in no one in love and allegiance to America, but I am not one of those who shout, "America right, America wrong." And there is such a thing as being patriotic sensibly. I do not wish to be so reckless as to concede offhand that America has the best of everything a-going. This I feel especially with regard to Art.

We are a young people, and we may, perchance, be able to learn something from the old peoples. Let us not, at any rate, be so arrogant as to assume our superiority

without putting that superiority to the acid test of comparison. Our aim for the De l'Epee monument is to produce a work of sentiment and of beauty, that shall stand for centuries as a witness of love and reverence for the good Abbe. Let us then honor that good man best by finding the best deaf sculptor the world can show. De l'Epee belongs to the deaf of all the world, and we can do him and them full justice only by giving all deaf sculptors a chance to compete for the honor of designing his memorial.

Mr. Stevens has shown that there is no dearth of deaf sculptors abroad. Even here in America, "The Noted Deaf Sculptor of California" is not alone in his art, although he has attained through his early productions of public works a wider vogue than the others. To mention one other deaf sculptor here in America, who deserves recognition, there is Elmer Hannan, of Washington. Mr. Hannan has worked quietly at his art, without any fanfare or blare of trumpets or self-advertisement. No one who has seen his marvelous bust of Edward Miner Gallaudet in the chapel of Gallaudet College, or his exquisite medallions and bas-reliefs, can fail to appreciate his power.

On past performances, Mr. Tilden is generally recognized as the best deaf sculptor we have in America. In view of this, it is to be regretted that he should deem it necessary to stand up in the marketplace and indulge in the panegyric of self-praise that marked his article in the last issue of the JOURNAL. Personally, I believe Mr. Tilden would stand an excellent chance to vanquish all competitors, and it would gratify me if he could, as an American, do so.

But I believe he is doing his cause a disservice by arrogantly claiming that he alone should receive any consideration whatever. And I do not think his friends will have any great cause for gratification in reading this artist's assertion under protection of a *nom de plume*, that he is the greatest living deaf sculptor, that he is one of the four or five greatest of all American sculptors, or that he is an Admirable Crichton of literature, philosophy, and heaven-knows-what. A little modesty would become him, if he is to be the sculptor of our memorial to that great and good man Charles Michel Abbe de l'Epee.

It is my fervent hope that the sculptor for our monument will be openly selected, at open competition, and not be hand-picked by some committee. If Mr. Tilden can win it, let him win it fairly, by vanquishing all rivals by the power of his genius. Then there can be no recriminations, no suspicions, no regrets. HENRY J. PULVER
March 9th, 1928.

Vancouver, Wash.

After a delay of five months, due to building operations, the State School at Vancouver reopened on February 1st, although the buildings—an administration building and a dining hall—are not yet completed. The new dining hall has modern cold-storage pantries and an ice-making plant. When completed these two buildings will be among the finest on the Pacific Coast.

Mrs. George B. Lloyd, wife of our school superintendent, has gone to New Jersey with her baby son, Dick Lloyd, to see her relatives, and will stay there for a month or so, and then return here by way of the Panama Canal.

Miss Northrop, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Divine go to Portland, Oregon, every Monday night to the evening class of the Lip-Reading Club. They are very fine lip-readers.

We had a holiday in honor of George Washington and in the evening attended a party in the auditorium.

All grieve with Miss Julia Dodd, whose father died in February of heart trouble and cancer, at Rose City Park, Portland, Oregon. He was eighty years old and had been ill for a long time. Miss Dodd has returned to her work here.

Mr. Dewey Coates, of Portland, is working on the new Administration building this month. He is a first-class inside finisher and a good worker. Mr. Coates has an interesting family of one boy and a baby girl.

We were very sorry to hear that Mrs. Dean Horn has been sick with flu, but she is convalescing now. We hope that she will be quite well again soon.

About twenty friends surprised Mr. and Mrs. Divine on their twenty-third wedding anniversary. They were remembered with a very appropriate gift, and after spending a pleasant evening, refreshments were served.

Miss Alice Wilberg, who was an employee of the State School for the Deaf in Vancouver last year, is working in the Meier Frank Department store in Portland, Oregon. She is a very bright and capable lady.

Rev. Eichmann, of Portland, always comes to the State school to give the pupils bible lessons every two weeks.

A. C. GOETZ

March 3, 1928.

EDWARD MINER GALLAUDET MEMORIAL FUND.

To the Graduates and Former Students of Gallaudet College, and to the Deaf People of the United States:—

Twenty years ago, on February 5, 1907, the Edward Miner Gallaudet Memorial Fund was inaugurated by the Alumni Association of Gallaudet College. The present object of the Fund is to erect a suitable memorial building on Kendall Green, Washington, D. C., in honor of the late Dr. Edward Miner Gallaudet, founder of the college. Fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000) was set as the goal. Each graduate has been asked to contribute at least fifty dollars (\$50), and each ex-student has been asked to give twenty-five dollars (\$25) or more. By means of a State quota plan, each deaf person in the United States has been asked to contribute one dollar or more. Approximately \$28,500 is now on hand and unpaid pledges bring the total to \$30,000.

In 1932 the two hundredth birthday anniversary of George Washington will be fittingly celebrated in the Capital. Thousands of visitors will be attracted from all corners of the globe, owing to the world-wide reverence for Washington. During the next few years the Government will spend millions of dollars annually in the erection of new buildings and in the beautification of the city. In this connection it would be a fitting climax to our efforts to have the Memorial Building completed by that date. The Trustees of the Fund, who have authority to act, believe that this can be done, and with such an end in view, they herewith announce that after February 5, 1930, they will offer the Board of Directors of the College for this purpose the amount of the Fund then on hand. Without doubt Congress will appropriate an additional sum to insure the erection of a suitable structure. We, therefore, beg you to contribute to the Fund to the limit of your resources, in order that the goal of \$50,000 may be reached by February 5, 1930.

Trustees:
THOMAS F. FOX, Chairman.
CLOA G. LAMSON
THOMAS S. MARR
JAMES M. STEWART
H. D. DRAKE, Treasurer.

DOLLAR CAMPAIGN

STATE QUOTAS AND AGENTS

STATE	Quota	Rec'd by Treas.
ALABAMA	\$ 344	\$ 383 11
ARIZONA	124	125 00
ARKANSAS	598	1,133 84
CALIFORNIA	200	364 08
CONNECTICUT	46	46 00
DELAWARE	1,672	1,072 50
DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA	151	204 80
FLORIDA	143	265 00
GEORGIA	19	19 00
ILLINOIS	817	202 38
INDIANA	92	5 00
IOWA	740	140 72
KANSAS	1,135	459 41
KENTUCKY	364	101 75
LOUISIANA	396	42 00
MAINE	1,094	100 39
MARYLAND	2,941	48 00
MASSACHUSETTS	1,576	10 00
MICHIGAN	1,066	218 24
MINNESOTA	916	110 20
MISSISSIPPI	1,255	61 25
MISSOURI	866	98 50
MONTANA	414	30 01
NEBRASKA	657	300 05
NEVADA	1,592	114 50
NEW HAMPSHIRE	1,802	31 40
NEW JERSEY	1,044	317 74
NEW MEXICO	570	48 45
NEW YORK	1,703	58 00
NORTH CAROLINA	150	108 43
NORTH DAKOTA	247	177 80
OHIO	2,763	1,900 06
OKLAHOMA	624	264 72
PENNSYLVANIA	3,299	849 36
RHODE ISLAND	197	5 00
SOUTH CAROLINA	539	246 10
SOUTH DAKOTA	283	10 00
TENNESSEE	1,103	61 40
UTAH	236	70 90
VIRGINIA	1,042	138 55
WASHINGTON	566	284 00
WEST VIRGINIA	632	390 58
WISCONSIN	1,688	
WYOMING	36	
CANADA	30	20
CUBA	1	50

CHICAGO.

Johnson Schwartz of Niles Center Ill., was a visitor at Rev. Hasenstab's church Sunday, March 11th.

The S. A. Club advertised for a paper-dress party, to be held at the club house March 10th, but the affair was turned into a bunco party. Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pearson entertained some invited friends at party, at their lovely home, March 10th, in honor of Oscar's birthday.

E. Seigfried, of Monon, Indiana, stopped off here for some time, on his way back to his home from his two months' sojourn in New Orleans, La.

George Cartter, former treasurer of the Frats, is said to have returned here after his stay of fifteen years in Cedar Rapids, Iowa. However, he has not appeared at a deaf Club or Church, nor has he been seen on the street.

Miss Birdie White, a hearing sister of John, was given a two-week vacation with pay, from her work in the County Hospital, the largest in the world. She is visiting her deaf folks in Wisconsin. Mrs. Hosea Harper's brother, Mr. Stanley, stopped off here to see her on his way to Texas, from Flint, Michigan, to visit his relatives, and after his visit on his way back to Flint, where he is employed.

The Chicago Chapter of the Illinois Association of the deaf elected the following officers at the last meeting. Max Himmelstein, president; Mrs. Grace Frankel, first vice-president; Waite Vaughan, second vice-president; Mrs. N. McGann, secretary; and Mrs. Edward E. Carlson, treasurer.

The little grand-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Evanson died last week. Our sincere sympathy has been extended to them on their loss.

Mrs. Ted J. Haskell, a daughter of Rev P. J. Hasenstab, was hostess to the Ladies' Aid Society, which met last time for luncheon at her home on Ellis Avenue.

The married daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Murphy is reported to be in a critical condition at a hospital in Oak Park, Illinois, following an operation for stomach trouble. We hope her strong heart action and patience will pull her through the danger.

The inmates of the Home for the Aged Deaf all are good in health except Mrs. Warren Cox, who has been sick with a bad cold for two weeks, but she is getting some better. Mr. and Mrs. P. Smith, of Pullman, Ill., have entered the Home as inmates recently.

Pas-a-Pas had a bunco party at the club room, Saturday, March 10th, and the Ephpheta club, a similar party, at the club house, Sunday March 11st. The evening was devoted to games and social conversation at each club.

There was a dramatic entertainment at the M. E. Church Mission March 10th. It was attended by about 135.

The Mission was open from one P.M. to midnight. A fine supper was served to those who came in the afternoon to stay instead of going out to lunch. The program was carried out well as follows:—

Scotch Jokes Song and Dance
Miss Nelson and Mr. Sharpnack
Nomenclature Mr. Vaughan
Last act of Shylock The Meagher Troupe
Awkward Lovers
Mrs. Young and Mr. Sharpnack
Take a Stroll Mrs. E. E. Carlson
At the Movie
Messrs. Vaughan, Sharpnack & Co.

It is reported in a Chicago daily that a policeman served a warrant on a Leo Kratig, a deaf-mute, on a charge of stealing a police dog. The deaf-mute said that the dog strayed and came to his house apparently hungry, so he kept and fed the dog. When the policeman visited Mr. Kratig's home nobody heard the door bell, ring and never a bark was heard from the dog. The owner tried to lure the dog with a piece of beefsteak and bone in vain. The dog is charged with the desertion.

At the last meeting, the members of the Frats discussed the matter and voted to form an auxiliary for their wives and lady friends to join and act in aid of the club fund. They selected the following officers, Mrs. W. Barrow, President; Mrs. Leo Clinnen, Vice-President; Mrs. Ruski, Secretary; and Mrs. C. B. Kempf, Treasurer. The Auxiliary will have a bunco party, at the Capitol Building, Saturday, March 24th.

News was received here from John Clark, a deaf Indian, who arrived home in Glacier Park, Montana, from Chicago, after his two months' stay here. While at work in his log cabin, during the long winter months, he gets inspirations from the wide world over the radio and listens through his hearing wife, a former reservation school teacher. She sits nearby, occasionally dropping her knitting or fancy work to transmit in the finger language to her husband things of interest that are brought "out of the air."

DIED

Mrs. Frank Murray, of Elmira, N. Y., died March 18th, after extended illness. She was Nellie Middlebrook before her marriage.

NEW YORK.

News items for this column should be sent direct to the DEAF-MUTES' JOURNAL, Station M, New York.

A few words of information in a letter or postal card is sufficient. We will do the rest.

FUNERAL SERVICES.

The funeral services of the late Allen Hitchcock were held on Tuesday evening, March 13th, at St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes Rev. John H. Kent officiating, assisted by Rev. Guilbert C. Braddock.

The church was filled to overflowing, as nearly all of the Frats whose Divisions are located in or near New York were present, as well as many of their wives and other non-Frats.

The altar railing was redolent of flowers, set pieces being sent by the various divisions and by organizations and individuals.

The remains of the deceased lay in an oaken casket with silver handle bars.

The service was heightened by a vested choir of young ladies, composed of Mrs. Wm. Burke, Miss Jessie Garrick, Miss Doris Patterson, Miss Flora Murchie, who sang in concerted signs: "Nearer, My God, to Thee," "Abide with Me," and "My Faith Looks up to Thee." After the Benediction, Rev. Mr. Kent delivered a most eloquent and fitting eulogy upon the life activities of the deceased.

The remains were interred in Evergreen Cemetery.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Alex. L. Pach, Wilbur F. Bowers, Benjamin Friedwald, Marcus L. Kenner, Emanuel Souweine, Alex. J. McLaren, Robert Anderson, and Arline Rembeck.

Morris Hitch, claiming Philadelphia, Pa., as his home town, on Thursday evening, accompanied by a policeman called at the rooms of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League. This visit to the League's commodious rooms by a policeman did not excite the members, for on other occasions, policemen have called to inquire of the whereabouts of missing deaf-mutes and to ascertain the character of others.

In the case of Morris Hitch, if such is his name, it was different. It seems that he came to the city to secure work and was unable to do so, and having but very little money left, sought help, and when questioned by the police if he knew of any one in the city, he mentioned the Deaf-Mutes' Union League. Consequently he was brought there by a policeman.

Nobody at the club knew him. When questioned, he said he was a dishwasher.

The policeman wanted to know if the League would take care of him. He was told that the organization was not a charitable society. The policeman then said he would take him to a place where good care would be taken of him and departed with him.

Miss Mary Caplan, honor graduate of the Class of 1921, of the Fanwood School, was married to Mr. Alfred Ederheimer, Class of 1922, of Fanwood, on Saturday evening, March 3d, at the Temple Israel, by Rabbi Abraham Feinberg. The ceremony was most beautiful and dignified. A large gathering of friends and relatives attended.

Mr. Benjamin Friedwald, the Chairman of the Arrangement Committee, having charge of the Advertising Costume Ball of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, desires to state that those who come in costume must conform to the word "advertising," which means they must come in a costume that advertises something. Imperial Hall has been remodeled and now to all appearances seems as a new place. Over a thousand are expected to be present, and there is room for that.

Louis Hagen, of this city, believes in helping any worthy charity, and when he was sent several tickets from the Benevolent Society of the Deaf of America for sixteen prizes, he tried to sell them to his friends, but without avail, therefore rather than return, he bought them all, and the result was last February he won the first prize of half a dozen teacups, the fourth prize, a dessert set, and the seventh prize, candlesticks.

Mr. and Mrs. Shapiro celebrated their very charming daughter Katie's birthday, by giving a party Saturday, March 17th. Twenty guests were invited, and they went home agreeing that it was one of the best parties they had attended in a long time. The gifts given to her created a stir that night, because they are numerous, useful and lovely. Those who attended were: Misses Sarah Wolff, Adelaide Rosenblatt, Florence Stamm, Martha Brown, Annie Burstien, Mrs. Edward Baum and others. The boys were Lew Goldwasser, Edgar Bloom, Morris Belsky, Hirsch, Malment, Alexander, Nathan and others.

Mrs. Harry Pierce Kane is now in Boston, Mass., visiting her sister, Isabelle, and is expected back in the city in about a week.

There were seventy-five deaf-mutes from Pennsylvania, most of them from Philadelphia, at the Brooklyn masquerade ball, March 3d. The next day they went sight-seeing, and except for a few, they departed for home Sunday evening, the 4th.

The next largest representation from out of town came from Connecticut and Massachusetts, but the neighboring cities bordering our city were well represented in the big crowd.

Already No. 23 has appointed a committee to arrange for its 1929 masquerade ball, and the place will be the same, for it is the largest hall in Brooklyn.

The Sedar Dinner for the members of the Brooklyn Hebrew Society of the Deaf and for the non-members, will be at the Hebrew Educational Society Building, on Thursday evening, April 5th, 1928. Admission, one dollar per person. Ask President Louis Baker, 292 Midwood Street, Brooklyn, or Secretary Louis Cohen, 125 Pulaski Street, Brooklyn, for a ticket.

On Easter Sunday, April 8th, in the evening at six o'clock, Miss Doris May Patterson will become the bride of Mr. Raymond McCarthy. The wedding will take place at St. Ann's Church, 511 West 148th Street.

Lester J. Hyams, after a year of constant treatment, his doctor finally succeeded in curing him of an eye trouble, which for a time seemed hopeless. Consequently now Mr. Hyams has settled down to work, and doesn't worry any more.

Miss Betty Austin is stopping at Craig Hall, Atlantic City, and expects to remain for some time.

Mrs. Israel Solomon underwent an operation for a cyst, at the Joint Disease Hospital. Mrs. Ed. Left is taking charge of the two children.

We are sorry to chronicle that the twin boys, aged 4 years, of Mr. and Mrs. S. Glassner, of Newark, N. J., were recently both taken sick with diphtheria, and are now in a hospital.

Sympathy is extended to Mr. A. Baschen, who mourns the loss of his father, who died on Tuesday, March 13th.

Messrs. Abe Stein and Sam Berch, both members of the Deaf-Mutes' Union League, are enjoying a two months' vacation.

On March 16th, Miss Ethel Koblenz was awarded a beautiful silver cup for winning the 440-yard skating race at the Brooklyn Ice Palace.

Miss Taube Greitzer was married to Mr. Ben Feigenbaum, on Saturday evening, March 17th, at Union Hall, in the Bronx.

Gallaudet College

Here it is at last, fans; the long awaited football schedule for 1928:

October 6—Temple University, away.

October 13—Schuylkill College, away.

October 20—American University, at home.

October 27—Juanita College, away.

November 3—Open.

November 10—University of Delaware, away.

November 17—Susquehanna College, away.

November 24—Bridgewater College, at home.

In preparation for this heavy schedule, coach Teddy Hughes has all football men not going in for track out on the field every clear day drilling them in new methods of blocking, tackling and passing. The boys are going into this experiment with all the zest of a Caesar class being dismissed. It promises well, so let's hope for results.

The track men have been having daily workouts for the past two weeks and are just rounding into shape, although intensive training has not yet begun. The track schedule has not been completed, nor have any of the dates been officially accepted, but it is understood there will be a triangular meet with George Washington University and Johns-Hopkins University, and probably dual meets with Catholic University and American University, if the latter can find enough men to form a team. But nothing definite can be announced till later.

As to the few ardent baseball fans who have been orphaned from a team this year through lack of finances, they have been making the best of the situation by wearing out the green carpet of grass on the west campus, and doing their best to dodge the wild balls of Gallaudet's amateur golfers, who also use the campus as their hunting grounds. We take pleasure in announcing that no kills have been made yet and no injuries reported.

Mr. William Grinnel, who, in spite of his lowly title of P. C., looks down on every student in college by virtue of his lanky proportions, has been decorating a sick bed for the past week, after an operation for appendicitis. It is notable, however, that

the appendicitis scare, that went the rounds of the halls of Gallaudet last year, has not yet been revived.

What the future, and more especially the immediate future, holds in store for the students resolves itself into just two words, success or failure, in the examinations, and realizing that the choice does not rest entirely in the hands of the faculty, everyone is making an effort in the direction of success.

Speaking of the Faculty, for his sake, we take pleasure in announcing the definite election of Professor Victor Skyberg to the superintendent's chair at the Minnesota School for the Deaf at Faribault. But for our own sakes, we are not displaying any too much pleasure, since Professor Skyberg holds a warm and secure place in our hearts as an instructor, and he has been teaching such a variety of subjects that we are skeptical whether his successor will be capable of filling his shoes. Still, we heartily congratulate him and wish him the best success when he leaves us next June for his new position.

D. E. M.

OMAHA.

Mrs. William H. Thompson, nee Dorothy Long, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. Schuyler Long, entertained at a double foursome bridge party, Saturday afternoon, February 18th, at her home in Council Bluffs. She had as her guests Mesdames J. S. Long, Tom L. Anderson, Frank C. Holloway, Luther H. Taylor, John J. Marty, Anton I. Netusil and Miss Grace Evans. The prize for highest score went to Mrs. Netusil, with Mrs. Marty second, and the consolation was given to Mrs. Taylor. A delightful repast was served at the close.

Miss Edith Anderson, of Council Bluffs, who has been with a prominent dressmaker in Omaha for a long time, expects to leave any time, for Faribault, Minn., where she has a position awaiting her at the school for the deaf.

James D. Upham is doing well as a first-class painter and paper hanger. He learned the trade from his father and finds plenty of work this spring.

At the February meeting of the Cobia Club in Council Bluffs, Dr. J. Schuyler Long gave an interesting and instructive talk on "Investments." Games with good prizes, followed by a sumptuous feed wound up a very pleasant evening. The affair was in charge of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown, Mrs. Nelson and Arthur Johnson.

The local O. W. L. S. entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom L. Anderson, Friday night, February 17th. As it was Leap Year, each brought her "hubby" on partner and they also brought piles of edibles. Seven tables at Bridge were enjoyed. Mrs. Oscar Treuke and Charles Falk won the prizes for highest scores, the latter breaking all previous score records by making over 3000. John J. Marty, who started off with 1000 at second game, had to take a back seat when Mr. Falk moved up to his table and opposed him. It was then a battle royal between the two giants.

Mrs. Anderson and Eugene McCannell captured seconds. Plenty of fancy candies were served during the games and at the close refreshments were served, consisting of sandwiches, olives, salted almonds, coffee, ice-cream and cake. Mr. Anderson helped make merry by donning different impromptu costumes and mimicking Harry Lauder and other celebrities. It was a great night, but we did not see the "Owls" hoot. Afraid to let the men in on their mysteries, eh? Ziba L. Osmun took a flying trip to York, Neb., Feb. 20, and returned the next day in his Whippet coupe. While away Scott Cuscaden, had charge of the Hamilton Tire Shop.

The Fontenelle Literary Society met in the City Hall Chamber Saturday night Feb. 25. William Bauersacks gave "Bits of Interest," and Mrs. Ota C. Blankenship related the love affairs of Abraham Lincoln. Current Events was Oscar Treuke's topic and Mrs. Carl Wear closed the program, reciting "Out Where Omaha Begins."

James R. Jelinek was host to the Midwest chapter Saturday night, March 3d at Miss Adelaide Fogg's beautiful dancing studio. The room was pretty and attractive and there were seven tables at Bridge. As the "boys" outnumbered the "girls," three of them had to take the place of absent "girls," and it happened that Charles Falk won the ladies' prize, while Oscar Treuke carried away the men's with the highest score of the evening, 3070. Both received a large cake with delicious pineapple filling. Mrs. Blankenship and Owen Study won seconds and both received apple pies. The cakes and pies were the work of the host, who also proved himself a versatile entertainer. Pistachio ice-cream and fancy shamrock cakes, coffee and candy were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Treuke are sporting around in their brand new Chevrolet coach. They got a paltry \$80.00 off their old Chevrolet touring car, which was still in good condition and whoever got hold of it is lucky.

HAL AND MEL

BALTIMORE

Mr. William G. Stone has just completed his seventeenth year with the Dietrich Structural and Ornamental Iron Company. During this long period of time he has faithfully and efficiently served the company in the capacity of cost and pay-roll clerk. That is quite a responsible position for a deaf man. Mr. Stone has been married eight years and has two fine little boys.

When the United Railways raised the fares, as mentioned in my last JOURNAL letter, Mr. George Koenig had a happy idea to beat the car company, so he bought a bicycle. But, alas! barely a week later he had a collision with a big bus owned by the United Railways. His bike is out of commission and he is again one of the strap-hangers.

The Silent Five ended the basketball season with a sweet victory over the unbeaten Milo A. C., by 17 to 16. The Milos are all former Y. M. H. A. stars and entered the Public Playground League when the Gas & Electric Co. quint quit. This victory was the surprise of the year, as the Milos are one of the strongest contenders in the unlimited class tournament for the South Atlantic Championship.

The Silentees finished in second place, just one game behind the Emorywood A. C., present champs of the P. A. I. Including the league games, the Silentees have played twenty games, of which they won fourteen.

SILENT FIVE (17)	G.	F. G.	T.
McCall, I.	0	1	1
Pfeiler, I.	1	5	7
Deluca, I.	1	3	5
Stern, C.	0	1	1
Demarco, G.	1	0	2
Friedman, G.	0	1	1
	3	11	17

Milo A. C. (17)	G.	F. G.	T.
Silverman, I.	2	0	4
Barouders, I.	1	1	3
Friedman, C.	1	2	4
Baemel, G.	2	1	5
Brattman, G.	0	0	0
	6	4	16

Last month Mr. Joseph Pfeiler's car was slightly damaged and he narrowly escaped when another auto, driven by a drunken man, collided with his car. Mr. Pfeiler was going west when the other car, going east, tried to pass several cars in front. Pfeiler applied the brakes as soon as he saw that fool-headed move, thus averting a fatal collision. The matter was settled out of court, with Mr. Pfeiler pocketing a neat little sum.

In a return game, staged in Washington, D. C., the Kendall Green School girls heartily trounced the Maryland School Sixtette by the score of 37 to 7.

Every second Sunday of the month, Rev. O. J. Whildin holds services in the evening at Grace and St. Peter's Church. The evening services are followed with two or three reels of moving pictures of an educational nature.

Mr. Stegmerten, principal of the Overlea School, thrilled an audience with a rendition of "The Ancient Mariner," at the Silent Oriole Club last Sunday night. The monthly Lit meetings at the S. O. C. have always been interesting and educational, but have yet to become popular.

Mr. Roland Stultz has requested the writer to announce the showing of the Maryland Alumni films at the Silent Oriole Club on April 28th. As an added attraction, the movies taken of "The Fair of the Iron Horse" will also be shown. These two pictures alone should draw a full house. A small admission will be charged.

Mr. Charles Moylan, a rising young lawyer and friend of the deaf, was honored with a birthday party last Saturday, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Feast. About twenty persons were present. Mr. Moylan was presented with four law books as a token of esteem. Mr. Moylan is the son of Rev. Daniel E. Moylan.

The big ball held by the Frats in New York last Saturday drew four Baltimoreans to New York. Those making the trip were Messrs. McCall, Pfeiler, Newman and Smithers.

Reports from Frederick state that Leonard Downes has been offered a berth with the Frederick Hustlers of the Blue Ridge League.

Mrs. Clara Werner was honored with a surprise birthday party at her home last Sunday night. Over thirty friends helped celebrate the occasion and had a merry time.

A few weeks ago Mr. John Urbanski had the tip of his index finger smashed on a machine in the factory where he works.

Mr. Clifton Beckner surprised his friends in Frederick by showing up in a new Buick.

THE WRIDERS.

PACIFIC NORTHERN SERVICES FOR THE DEAF.

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DETROIT.

News items intended for this column should be sent to Mrs. William Behrendt, 5945 Wayburn Ave., Detroit, Mich. Such news items from Detroiters and vicinity as well as from the deaf of Michigan will be most welcome and have prompt attention.

The "Unspeakable Secret of Old Glamis Castle," by Mrs. A. S. Waggoner, President of the Ontario Association of the Deaf, at the Detroit Fraternal club, March 24th. Be sure and see her, you will never regret it.

Detroit Chapter M. A. D.—Regular business at the G. A. R. Hall, March 25th at 3 P.M., sure. Bring your due slips if possible.

April 13th—Social at St. John's by the Ladies Guild, Mrs. Behrendt, Chairman.

April 28th—Big Indoor Circus and Vaudeville stunts and other interesting doings at the Detroit Association of the Deaf.

April 14th—Informal Dance by the Deaf Athletic Club, at the G. A. R. Hall.

Mrs. Albert Senowa entertained twelve ladies to a guessing party on the 8th. Some of those who captured prizes were: Mrs. Louis Krohler, Mrs. May Howe, Mrs. A. Schneider, Mrs. George May, Mrs. Ivan Heymanson and yours truly, who captured the booby. Refreshments were served and a very pleasant afternoon was had by all.

On March 7th, while at work in the cemetery where he is employed, felling trees, Mr. A. J. Salmond had an accident that nearly cost him his hand. Mr. Salmond was holding a wedge and the hammer missed it, striking his fingers. He has been under the care of a doctor, who expects to save them.

Rev. F. C. Smielau held service at St. John's Sunday afternoon, March 11th, and went on to Flint for evening service there.

Mrs. F. E. Ryan, Sr., has been on the sick list for the past three weeks with an attack of La Grippe and Lumboago. She is now on the road to recovery. Her youngest son, William has also been sick for over a month. He has just returned to his studies at school. "Little Billy," as they call him, bids fair to make a success as a business man some day. His late father, a few months before his death presented him with a typewriter, which he enjoys operating.

Mrs. Eunice Stark, who has for several months been confined to her home, due to the long illness of her daughter, is now able to get out and call on her friends.

While Detroit has had quite a fine winter, it has brought in its wake a great deal of sickness everywhere, and the deaf have not escaped it.

Mrs. Rudolph Huhn is recovering nicely after a very serious operation at Providence Hospital. Mrs. Casimiere Sadows has been removed to her home.

Mrs. May Howe fell near her home badly bruising her face and arm. She still wears a pretty eye, but is able to get out.

The many friends of her daughter Mrs. Will Topfer, are sorry to learn she is under the care of a trained nurse, due to nervous breakdown. We hope she will soon be able to be out and also all the others on the sick list.

The angel of death has been busy taking loved ones from the deaf the past week. The first to go was the aged mother of Royal Wright.

Mrs. Anna Sadows, aged 79, beloved mother of Casimier and Dr. Roman Sadows, was called to the heavenly home on Tuesday, March 6th, while on Wednesday, March 7th, William H. Cornish's mother passed away after a short illness and was buried in St. Thomas, Ontario. To them all, Detroiters extend their deepest sympathy as these mothers always welcomed the boys who came to see their sons.

Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder had a joint birthday on March 10th and thirty of their friends, loaded with eat and gifts, gave them a surprise the same evening, at their home on Dubois Avenue. Mr. Snyder says that friends like that is what makes life worth while, and we agree with him from the past experience.

Mrs. Ivan Heymanson and Mrs. W. K. Liddy captured some of the prizes offered at the Keno Social at the Detroit Fraternal Club.

Edgar Shaffer, of Harrisburg, Pa., is a newcomer to Detroit, and through the aid of Alex Lobsinger, secured work at the Ford Motor Co., at River Rouge.

As we close our letter, we have received notice of the death of Samuel Smyth, who has been ill for over six months.

ST. ANDREW'S SILENT MISSION.

New England Diocese.

Rev. J. Stanley Light, Missionary

Boston, Mass., every Sunday at 11 A.M., in Trinity Parish House, Copley Square. Holy Communion on 4th Sundays of the month.

Providence, R. I., on 2d and 4th Sundays of the month at 3 P.M., in Grace Church Guild Room.

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Service held in New Haven, Bridgeport and Waterbury, Ct., Pittsfield, Springfield, Worcester, Lowell, Lawrence and Danvers, Mass., Portland and Lewiston, Maine, by appointment.

SEATTLE

The Thursday social at the Lutheran hall under Mrs. Jack Bertram and Carl Garrison last week had five tables. Mrs. Claude Ziegler won the first prize of crystal beads and the writer, cold cream for the booby. For the me. Arthur Martin of Everett took the cigars for first prize, and Leonard Rasmussen a big stick of candy for booby. Charles Gilmore of Sunnydale was present. A fine crowd it was, in spite of the heavy downpour all evening.

The week before Ed. Spieler and the writer took charge of the social. Mrs. Jack Bertram was the first prize winner of a flower corsage and Mrs. W. S. Root a package of clothespins for booby. Carl Garrison for the men, a pair of socks and Sam Schneider Hershey bar.

W. S. Root received a letter from William Bushell West, announcing his sudden marriage to Mrs. McArdle, better known by her maiden name as Miss Ratliff of Oakland. The wedding occurred March 2d. The bride attended the Oklahoma School and used to live in Denver for some time, and the bridegroom is a graduate of our state school. All of their friends extend to them wishes for a long, happy and prosperous life. Mr. West has a situation in the Fisher body plant and is the owner of an Essex coach, nearly new. He is fascinated with California and the warm weather there.

Miss Bertha Seipp returned to Seattle last week, after several months' absence in California. She has much to tell her friends about her sojourn in Oakland and San Francisco, her most thrilling experience occurring when she and a dozen other deaf were on one of the bay ferries, that took a sudden nose dive and had a number of her passengers swept off the deck. Bertha immediately secured her old job at one of the egg candling plants here.

The election of officers of the Lutheran church men's conference resulted as follows: A. W. Wright, President; W. E. Brown, Vice-President; Bert Haire, Secretary; and W. S. Root, Treasurer.

Mrs. Bert Haire acted as the hostess to ten ladies last Thursday, for a luncheon at her home in the Lakeburien district.

About twenty friends gathered at the Wrights home on 15th Avenue, N. E., on March 3d, after the N. F. S. D. meeting to have a midnight "500" card game. The party was to remind Mrs. Wright and Claire Reeves that their birthdays occurred in March.

Mrs. Smith, of Fresno, Cal., arrived the other day and surprised us all at the Lutheran church of Our Redeemer yesterday. She used to live here several years ago. She expressed astonishment at the rapid growth of the church, and though the Seattle deaf are truly religious considering the large number in attendance. She is 82 years old and very spry.

Mrs. Cecilia Watson, widow of the late Superintendent James Watson of our State school, wrote that she was very well, notwithstanding her advanced years. She has been in Port and since last August.

Claude Ziegler worked a few days recently in the big Weyerhaeuser mill at Snoqualmie, and was then laid off with several others while repairs were being made. He was told to return in a couple weeks. The Palmer boys, C. Cavanaugh and Bryan Wilson, continue at their jobs.

John Adams traded his Chevrolet for a Whippet coupe—a 1927 model slightly used. He lives in Renton, but comes to Seattle about every week or the Lutheran social.

The new four-room home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilmore in Sunnydale, on their little strawberry ranch is nearly completed, and they will move in soon.

Robert, twelve-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. True Partridge, is enjoying himself on a up-to-date dairy ranch, owned by a well-educated couple near Snohomish, and going to school. He is an active boy and takes great interest in agricultural subjects.

L. O. Christenson was so ill for a few days. He had to have a minor operation performed on his stomach but is now working at his printing shop as usual.

Christian Christensen drove in his Willys Knight car to Portland a few days ago to see some friends.

Mrs. Jack Bertram goes to see her mother in Tacoma every week, by riding on the boat, interurban, or in her Studebaker.

Rev. Geo. W. Gaertner visited the State school for the deaf in Vancouver recently, and thought the new building was beautiful. The dining-room impressed him the most, the arrangements being perfect. Meals are served cafeteria fashion.

PUGET SOUND

March 12, 1928.

But Many Don't

It does not matter how able a man is or how thoroughly he knows his job, he cannot be a first-class leader unless he rubs people the right way—*American Magazine*.

While the pot boils, friendship lasts.—*Italian*.

PHILADELPHIA

News items for this column should be sent to James Reider, 1538 North Dover street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Master Frank Dean Galey, the eleven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Galey (nee Miss Ruth Ziegler and niece of Mr. Robert M. Ziegler), has developed such talent in playing the Xylophone (a musical instrument) that, when it reached the ears of the managers of two large theatres, he was sought out and engaged for three exhibitions. The first one was given at the Kensington Theatre, 11th Street and Lehigh Avenue, on Thursday evening, March 15th, when Dean, as he is called by his home folks, made a wonderful hit and was engaged for Saturday afternoon, the 17th, at the Orpheum Theatre in Germantown. He played so well that he was called to respond to three encores. This week he will fill other engagements; he has also received an offer to play at a theatre in Atlantic City during the coming summer, but his acceptance is held in abeyance for the present.

Master Galey is making excellent progress at school and there are other indications that he will persevere in his studies and work.

Miss Gertrude M. Downey underwent an operation recently at the Chestnut Hill Hospital, and her condition at this writing is reported to be favorable.

On Saturday, March 10th, while Mr. Charles M. Pennell was waiting for a trolley car to take him home, reeports says, an automobile dashed past him, striking a stone, which bounded at his foot and injured it so badly that he was laid up for a time. The automobile that caused the mishap made good its escape.

Another deaf-mute, Mr. George Le Van, a carpenter by trade, met with a painful accident recently. He was getting off a trolley car when the door was slammed closed and caught the fingers of one hand and severely injured them. Our information does not go further, so this is all that we can say at present.

Report says that the attendance at All Souls' movie shows every Saturday evening is steadily growing. The movies are free to the deaf, except when advertised otherwise.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Krokenberger were visitors at the moving pictures show at All Souls' Parish House last Saturday. Mrs. Krokenberger was Miss Stella Haagen, formerly employed at the Mt. Airy School. They were recently married by the Rev. Mr. Smaltz, in a private ceremony at the Rectory, and are now residing at the groom's home near Paulsboro, N. J. They spent a honeymoon, visiting the bride's parents near Williamsport, Pa.

Coming—April 28th, a "Night with a Comic Magician" at All Souls' Parish House, under the leadership of Mr. Charles W. Waterhouse, the ablest deaf magician which Philadelphia has at present. Movies will be added to the program. The Fellowship League is sponsoring the entertainment. Admission will be thirty-five cents; Children free.

Mr. John O'Rourke, coming from Washington, D. C., enroute for his home in Massachusetts, stopped in Philadelphia for a short while, and was piloted about by Mr. John A. Roach.

Mrs. Thomas Sarver, who was formerly Miss Mary J. Woods, of this city, presented her husband with a girl baby on February 25th last. The family lives in East McKeesport. Congratulations!

Miss Stella Haagen was married to Mr. Adolph Krokenberger, of Paulsboro, N. J., by the Rev. W. M. Smaltz on February 23d. Mr. Krokenberger is a farmer.

A birthday surprise party was given to Mrs. Charles Hagy by her son at their home, 6163 Algard Street, Wisconsin, Philadelphia, on Saturday evening, March 17th.

Information has been received that Miss Annie Garbett, of Olyphant, Pa., deaf sister of Mr. Morris Garbett, also deaf, died on Monday, March 12th. She was a graduate of the old Institution at Broad and Pine Streets.

South Dakota

The dates of the South Dakota Association Convention are June 7-11th. Remember them and tell your friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bryon, who were at Viborg for a considerable time, are back in the locality of Faith, where Bert has some work.

A Valentine party scheduled for Saturday evening, February 11th, was held in the Guild Hall of Calvary Cathedral, Sioux Falls. A large number were in attendance there. Sam Wellington, assisted by James L. Jones, engineered the evening, and it was a big success for the benefit of our local division of N. F. S. D. A very satisfactory sum of over \$16 was realized. "Nice refreshments were served." "500" then took place till 12 o'clock in the night.

An oyster supper and "500" playing were had, Friday evening, February 24th, at the same guild hall. Only sixteen were there, much disappointment to the committee in charge on account of a boxing-exhibition and basketball game which attracted the people.

Ernest Noeldner, of Summit, recently lost his barn by fire, caused by lightning, and it was a total loss, as he carried no insurance.

The writer was ready to leave for Aberdeen, Tuesday, February 14th, but incidentally received a letter from his brother, Olaf, saying the contractor changed his mind and postponed the finishing of the work at St. Luke's Hospital for two months. The writer hated to be idle for so long a time, so called on Foreman Rice of Brown & Soenger print shop, and told him the reasons, and told him he could help him for some time. He was hired on the morning of February 15th for distributing types and primary election, and was employed till Saturday noon, March 3d, when he was laid off, because of slack work.

Rev. Mr. Mappes again visited Sioux Falls, Sunday, February 29th, delivering a good sermon in the evening. He declared he will come on the fourth Sunday every month at 8 p.m., at the Lutheran Church.

M. M. Johnson, of Centerville, autoed to Sioux Falls, Sunday, February 26th, to bring his wife and daughters home, after they attended Rev. Mappes' service in the evening. Mrs. Johnson took Mrs. G. E. Daniels along for a three weeks' visit.

Norman and Sophia Larson, of Jasper, Minn., were seen again in Sioux Falls, February 26th, attending Rev. Mappes' services, and spent the afternoon at the Daniels' place.

Carl Hegdahl and Martin O. Sewold, of Howard, came to Sioux Falls in the former's Chevrolet coupe, February 11th, and attended the hard-times party and stayed in the city to mingle with some local deaf. Mr. Sewold visited his sister Viola, a student at the Sioux Falls school.

Mr. Hegdahl is a renter of 200 acres on cash basis, and is a bachelor and lives alone on the farm. He is looking for a help-mate.

Mrs. A. J. Krohn, Miss Hall, the writer and a friend of Miss Hilda Tillinghast were selected as judges at the Washington Party Masquerade on February 23d.

The judges had difficulty in selecting the prize winners, but finally agreed on the following: Ladies—"Half man and half woman," Agatha Kindopp; "Tulip," Viola Servold; and "flower girl," Evelyn Short. Gents—"Lindy," Bennie Soukup; "A nurse with an injured patient in a cot," Clifford McLaughlin and James Laughlin; "Robin Hood," Charles Wright.

The prizes were awarded by Mr. Burnes.

February 26th, was the birthday of Mrs. E. P. Olson, at Sanator. During Monday afternoon rest hour, the girls downstairs gave her a birthday party. When she went in the recreation room with her roommate, they stood up and said "happy birthday" in the sign language which was taught by a Miss Hammer, a patient there. She was surprised and laughed. Birthday cake (Angel's Food) and coffee were served. Miss Orth, a patient there brought her a gift—a memory book or photograph book with brown leather cover, as they said a farewell party was given her too, as she was going to leave for home soon. The gift was from Dr. Woodworth, Superintendent of the sanitarium, Mrs. Bowman, housekeeper, and Miss Irmie, head nurse. They wrote their names, addresses and thoughts in the book, and also other patients and nurses did likewise.

Mrs. Olson passed the examination last month, and is allowed to go home May 1st. That is good news to her many admiring friends and relatives.

Edward Hanson, who quit farming at Lennox, helped P. L. Dalgard haul five tons of hay and some other work Monday, February 27th. Mr. Dalgard brought Mr. Hanson to Sioux Falls in his car.

After the auction sale, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. P. Meloy and children are now located in Yankton for a while.

Francis C. Gueffroy resigned his position with the Dumont, Ia., paper, March 1st, and is home with his family at Hampton, Ia, for his health. He recently acquired a new Whippet Sedan, and reports liking it as a smooth running car.

The writer recently got a letter from Mrs. Hans H. Hanson, of Glenham. She was Ellen Skillingstad, a schoolmate of the writer, and inquired for the whereabouts of Mrs. John Schemenauer. She reported that Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schubert are living at Glenham, having moved from Mound City.

Olof A. Olsen's birthday was on Sunday, February 26th, so his beloved wife remembered him by inviting Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Goodman and boys, Dan Schachte and Wilhelm Krege, to a nice dinner.

Floyd Goodman, second son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Goodman, of Aberdeen, is employed at the Equity Union Creamery. His oldest brother, George, is working on a farm at Cresband this winter.

H. W. Goodman is employed in a feed mill in Aberdeen, where he was for the past nine years. He is owner of a five-room brick house and three lots, and conducts a poultry farm of 150 Leghorn hens, one mile east of the city.

Miss Mildred Wells, of Tabor, is visiting friends in Sioux Falls, and going to return home Saturday.

Miss Grace Noll and her friend and her mother, of Geddes, cousin and aunt of A. J. Krohn, were in Sioux Falls Saturday and Sunday, March 3d and 4th, visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Krohn. The aunt and friend returned home Monday, leaving Grace at the Krohn place for a while. She attends a business college in the city.

EDWARD P. OLSEN.
March 9, 1928.

NEWARK

News from Newark about the contemplated plans of the "F. W. Hoppaugh and His Merry Gangs" coming entertainment, from which may result a new association in connection with the deaf-mutes throughout New Jersey.

It is to be an entertainment on Saturday evening, April 28th, at the one million five hundred thousand dollar Salaam Masonic Temple, reputedly the most symmetrically beautiful temple of its kind in the East.

A real hit, booked direct from Broadway, namely "The Dancing Debutantes," lately of the Keith Circuit, New York City. There will be eight specialty dances with four changes of costumes.

Hoppy has succeeded through a lot of effort and a little extra stipulation in securing the services of the famed Frank Dailey's Meadowbrook Orchestra.

For those not wishing to indulge in dancing there are seats amid a background of palms—giving them plenty of opportunity to talk over the happenings since their last meeting.

The management has agreed to loan the services of his checking girls and this eliminates the thought of any misunderstandings arising from misplaced checks.

The guests will arrive at any time after 7:30, and upon checking their wraps, will join friends or find seats as suits their fancy. Then at ten the entertainment will commence. A short recess, and then the Orchestra will start a popular dance.

THE SNOW BATH

EDITOR HONGSON.—In a recent issue of the JOURNAL we are given a description of an annual winter affair at Gallaudet College called "The Snow Bath." This is a new show. Freshmen are compelled to strip to the skin on a very cold night and march to a snowfield, where they must caper about and receive a swashing of snow, to the delight of the upper men. The whole thing is wrong and bad. It is indecent, and it exposes the students to the dangers of cold and pneumonia. We who were once students at Gallaudet College have a right to criticize this thing, and to expect the faculty to take action and end it. A year ago I privately called Dr. Hall's attention to it. He replied that it had been stopped, and that the perpetrators of it had been severely punished. Yet here we have it again.

The moral tone of the deaf is low. They are not under parental discipline as hearing children are, and at the institutions they do not get the moral guidance and spiritual training that they should have. Every effort, however, should be made to improve this unhappy condition. Such an affair as the Snow Bath at our college, which we are expected to be so proud of, proves conclusively that the moral standing is not what we have a right to expect. Gallaudet is a small college, the few students can be handled there if proper steps are taken. In our great universities it is vastly different. Five, ten, fifteen thousand students scattered about the college town cannot well be handled; but I have yet to hear of an open affair of the nature of our Snow Bath being an annual come-off at our big colleges.

HOWARD L. TERRY.
RESEDA, CAL. Feb. 28, 1928.

ST. MATTHEW'S LUTHERAN MISSION FOR THE DEAF.

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